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 Examiner : Alfred J. Wujciak  
 Art Unit : 3632

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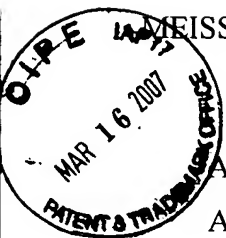
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In response to the Office Action dated December 13, 2006, Applicant submits the following remarks for consideration in connection with the above-identified patent application.